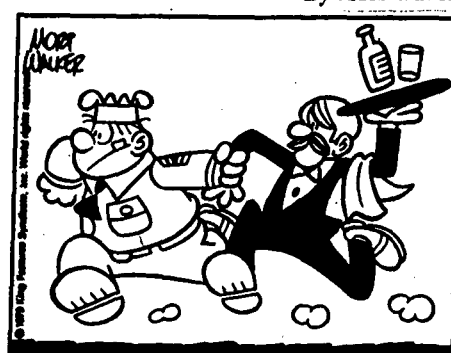
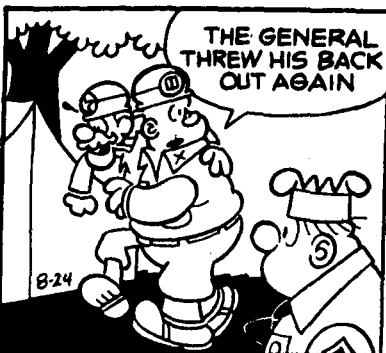


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By Garry Trudeau



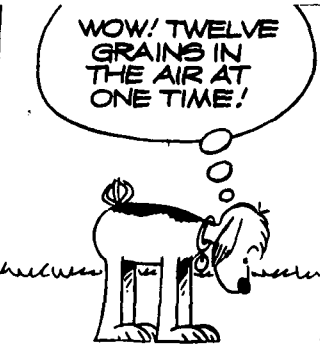
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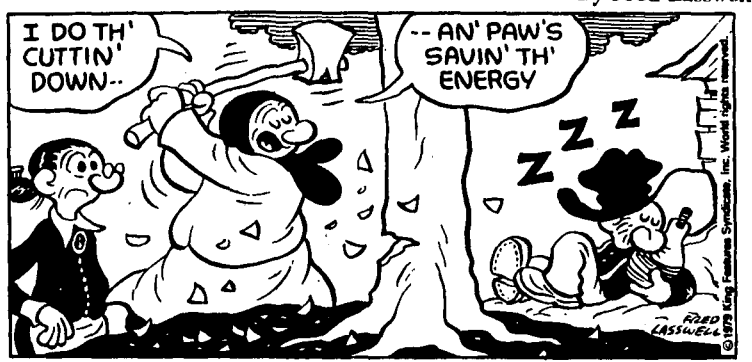
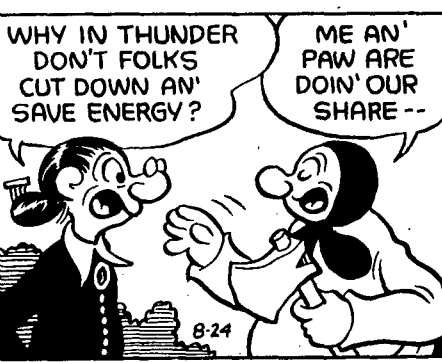
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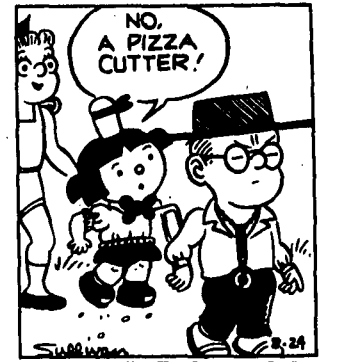
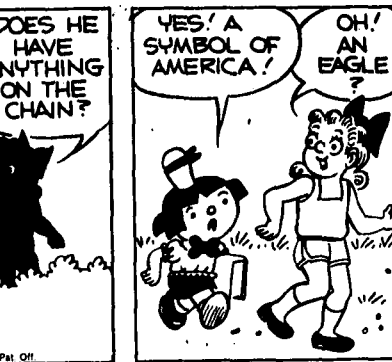
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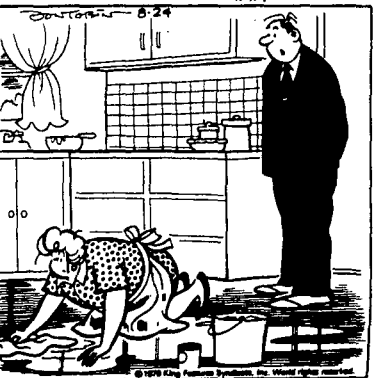


Looking backward

50 years ago

Dr. C. J. Rocky, new pastor of the Luther Memorial Church, conducts his first services. Rocky, who succeeds the Rev. A.J. Soldan, and his wife and son arrive in Madison this week. Mrs. F.A. Dieruf, president of the Women's Missionary Society, presides at a reception for the Rockeys; Frank Keuhl is master of ceremonies

and John Murphy, president of the choir, arranges a musical program. ... E.M. Fish, local advertising and sales manager and G.A. Oldenburg and F.W. Oldenburg of Associated Motors, Inc. form the Tonyawatha Amusement Corporation for the operation of a recreation and amusement park across Lake Monona, adjoining Tonyawatha Springs. The estimated cost of the construction of the amusement park is \$100,000.



"You shouldn't be down there scrubbing the kitchen floor, Emily. the bathroom floor needs it much more."

25 years ago

Joseph Adler, Middleton and Thomas Skaar and George Bareis, Madison, are honored for their service on the Dane County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Committee at a party at the Club Chanticleer. Jack Densmore is master of ceremonies. Lars Landsness is speaker and J.W. Clark, Dane County Agricultural Agent, presents gifts on behalf of the group. ... Commissioner Melvin O. Larson announces that Lawrence E. Beier, a lieutenant in the State Traffic Patrol, is appointed director of enforcement in the Motor Vehicle Department. ... Conductor Joe Koberstein ends 47 years of railroad-ing as he steps from the platform of

North Western Road's Dakota 400 in Madison.

10 years ago

Rolf Olson is deacon in charge of the Sunday Services at Heritage Congregational Church. Russell Rosendeutscher is the speaker. ... Allen Grindl defeats all comers for the sixth year in a row in the adult corn eating competition at the Sweet Corn Festival in Sun Prairie, eating 10½ ears of corn; second is Marvin Weeden, Marshall, with 6½ ears and Bruce Carter, Tampa, Fla. is third. The children's corn eating contest is won by John Auclair, Monona; Gary Duckert, Waterloo, is second, and Miles Bible, Madison, is third. ... Mr. and Mrs. Iver Karp celebrate their golden wedding anniversary at a party at an open house given by their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Erin "Ace" Karp and their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harland Klagoes at the Klagoes home. ... Billy Smith, Morrie Haukeried and Dick Pauley are coaches of the newly organized Monona PeeWee football team competing in the east side league.

Bridge

by Alfred Sheinwald

Everybody knows what a bird in the hand is worth, but only this column is precise. When the hand is at bridge and the bird is a duck, it is worth 700 points.

North dealer
North-South vulnerable

NORTH

♠ A 9
♥ K 8 5
♦ K J 4
♣ Q J 10 9 4

WEST

♠ 5 2
♥ 7 6 3 2
♦ 8 6 5 3 2
♣ K 6

EAST

♠ K Q 8 7 6
♥ 10 9 4
♦ 9 7
♣ A 7 2

SOUTH

♠ J 10 4 3
♥ A Q J
♦ A Q 10
♣ 8 5 3

North East South West
1 ♣ 1 ♠ 2 NT Pass
3 NT All Pass
Opening lead — ♠ 5

When South played low from dummy East won the first trick and returned a spade to the ace. Declarer promptly led clubs.

If West won, he couldn't lead a spade; and South had time to knock out the ace of clubs. If East took the first club, he could set up the spades but could never regain the lead. Either way South lost only two spades and two clubs, scoring 600 points for the game and rubber.

Since the spade position was obvious East should duck (play low) at the first trick. Then West can win the first club and lead his other spade to dummy's ace.

East wins the second club and is then ready to take three spade tricks, scoring 100 points for defeating the contract. The duck makes a difference of 700 points.

DAILY QUESTION: Partner opens with one notrump (16 to 18 points), and the next player passes. You hold: Spades-K Q 8 7 6; Hearts-10 9 4; Diamonds-9 7, and Clubs-A 7 2. What do you say?

ANSWER: Bid three spades. The combined count is 25 to 27 high-card points, which should be enough for game. Your jump response asks partner to raise to four spades if he has three or more spades but to bid three notrump if he has only two spades.

ACROSS

- Envision
- Subject of discussion
- Fixed
- Silent
- Excuse
- Old salt
- Killer whale
- Sioux Indian
- Greek letter
- Holds
- Bird
- Squeezes out
- Briny expanse
- Non-existent
- Unyielding
- Crafty
- Fold over
- Traitor (sl.)
- Cleaning implement
- Former President's nickname
- Engage in winter sport
- Train
- Ballerina's strong points
- Colt's mother

DOWN

- Hard
- Main artery
- Serving as type
- Those in office
- Pith helmet
- Double curve
- Born
- Coronet
- Aloha symbol
- Essay
- Of arm-bone
- Cinnabar
- Resound vibrantly
- Triumphant exclamation
- Hosted
- Makes lace
- Spanish cheer
- Abyss
- Island off Mozambique
- Five (Fr.)
- Minnesota capital (2 wds.)
- With no trouble
- City prosecu-tor (abbr.)
- Gum tree
- Rubber
- Pollute
- Dinsmore
- Aleutian island
- Pull to pieces
- Fuel
- Patron of shepherds
- Historic period

Answer to Previous Puzzle

SIR KNEAD SIN
ORO IRATE ORE
SAT TARES WET
ONSET KINDS
NIB SST
SID EAST CYST
OAR SHOE HAIR
AGED ALAS PRO
POGO MOLL SET
SPA SOW
KNEES TAIN T
OAS ASSET SAE
KIT LOOSE INN
OLE MOPED SOD

